A. Arrival Statistics (i.e. Immigrants that arrived in a given year).

A.1 Citizenship & Immigration Publications


1994 -
Facts and Figures, Immigration Overview
Search for ‘facts and figures immigration’ in Publications Canada
http://publications.gc.ca/site/eng/146162/issues.html

2003 -
The Monitor
Newsletter format; includes quarterly statistics on new permanent residents, foreign workers, foreign students, and Canadian citizenship.

2000 -
Business Immigration Statistics
Statistics from the Business Immigration Program, including:
- 2005 Landings by Immigration Category (Principal Applicants and Dependents)
- Top Ten Source Countries for Business Immigrants, Landings by Country of Last Permanent Residence (Principal Applicants Only), 2005
- Top Ten Source Countries for Business Immigrants, Landings by Country of Last Permanent Residence (Principal Applicants Only), 2000-2005
- Top Ten Source Countries for Business Immigrants, Landings by Country of Last Permanent Residence (Principal Applicants Only), 1986-2005
- Intended Provincial Destination of Landed Business Immigrants (Principal Applicants Only), 2005
- Immigrant Investor Program, Fully Paid Subscriptions by Province, 2005
- Immigrant Investor Program, Fully Paid Subscriptions by Province, 1986-2005
- Entrepreneur Program, Dollars Invested and Jobs Created, by Province, 2005

1966 - 1996
These statistics appear to only provide the destination Province... not city.
In PRINT at Call Number: CA1 MI I57

A.2 Time Series in CANSIM (via E-STAT)
URL: http://www.statcan.gc.ca/estat/licence-eng.htm (or click on links below)

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**Note:** “Components of population growth” includes immigrants as a category.

### A.3 Historical Time Series in “Departmental Annual Reports” (part of the Canadian Sessional Papers series) – statistics for 1901 to 1971

Starting in 1933-34, Departmental Annual Reports (which succeeded the long-running Canadian Sessional Papers ¹ series), contain summary immigration statistics from to the year of the ‘annual report’ in question. These statistics appear in Volume 2 (or occasionally Volume 3) of the year’s set of reports. A summary of Years covered by each departmental name is shown below. Print version of these publications can be found at Call Number: **CA1 YS S26**. The direct permanent URL to the print catalogue record is: [https://qcat.library.queensu.ca/vwebv/holdingsInfo?bibId=1305143](https://qcat.library.queensu.ca/vwebv/holdingsInfo?bibId=1305143).

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**Note:** Between 1867 and 1892, immigration was controlled by the Department of Agriculture. From 1892 until October 1917, Immigration was a branch of the Department of the Interior, and then became the Department of Immigration and Colonization (1917 to 1936). On December 1, 1936, the Department of Immigration and Colonization became the Immigration Branch of the Department of Mines and Resources. [Source: 1937 Report of the Department of Mines and Resources, Immigration Branch]

#### See also,

**Citizenship and Immigration Canada**

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(Same reports as are included in Annual Departmental Reports/Sessional Papers)

**Annual Report to Parliament on Immigration** – 2002 – current
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Online → [http://publications.gc.ca/pub?id=359079&sl=0](http://publications.gc.ca/pub?id=359079&sl=0)

**Employment and Immigration Canada**

¹ Sessional Papers are collections of published Annual Departmental Reports
A.4 Historical Time Series in the Historical Statistics of Canada

The “Historical Statistics of Canada” (both print and online) provide statistics as follows:

**Immigration (Series A350-416)**

**Table A350 -- Immigrant arrivals in Canada, 1852 to 1977**


**Table A351-368 -- Immigration to Canada by intended occupations and dependents, 1953 to 1976**


For distribution of immigration to Canada by intended occupations and dependents for 1932 to 1952, according to an older classification, and for distribution of immigration to Canada by occupational groups, sex of adults, children, from overseas and the U.S., and from overseas, for 1904 to 1951, see first edition of this volume, pp. 11-12 and 23-25.

**Table A369-384 -- Immigration to Canada by age, sex and marital status, 1933 to 1976**

*Source:* for 1933 to 1960, first edition of this volume, p. 26; for 1961 to 1976, Department of Manpower and Immigration, Immigration Statistics, 1961 to 1976. Greater details on age and marital status may be found in this annual publication.

**Table A385-416 -- Immigration to Canada by country of last permanent residence, 1956 to 1976**

*Source:* for 1956 to 1976, Department of Manpower and Immigration, Immigration Statistics, 1956 to 1976. Only a selected number of countries are presented in this volume. The source publication provides greater detail.
B. Census-based Statistics (i.e. Statistics on Immigrants living in Canada at the time of a Census).

and general release:  

→ Click on “by Topic”  
→ Click on topic #14 “Immigration and Citizenship”

→ Click on “Immigration and Citizenship”

CIC : Recent Immigrants in Metropolitan Areas (1991, 1996, & 2001 Census)  

Earlier Censuses are available in print → Documents Reference

Public Use Microdata Files – 1971 to 2006

See also, Research Article:  
(Catalogue number: 11F0019MIE2005255) Available at:  

C. Related Resources

Canadian Citizenship Statistics –  
Provides characteristics of persons granted Canadian citizenship, including country of origin.  
1952-1978: Statistics Canada – CA1 BS91 C205  
1979-1991: Secretary of State, Citizenship Registration and Promotion -- CA1 SS31 C11

World Migration – Documents Compact Shelving: ZZ IOM W55  
Presents trends in international migration, as well as regional overviews.

EuroStat  
International Migration and Asylum  
• Acquisition of citizenship  
• Asylum  
• Active population and workers by citizenship  
• International migration flows  
• Population by citizenship
OECD iLibrary – (via ‘Databases’ tab on Library Home Page.
International Migration Statistics
Immigrants and expatriates: Total population by nationality and country of birth

UNdata
Some series on ‘migrants’:

- Migrant stock
- Migration, net

http://data.un.org/

CERIS - The Ontario Metropolis Centre (University of Toronto)
http://ceris.metropolis.net/